

## **Sterne Kessler and Director Ellison Ranked for Patent Prosecution in the 2023 Edition of *The Legal 500***

**Washington, D.C.** (June 8, 2023) – Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox is pleased to announce that the firm and Director [Eldora L. Ellison, Ph.D.](#), have again earned recognition from *The Legal 500* in the area of patent prosecution. Specifically, the United States 2023 edition ranks Sterne Kessler among top-tier intellectual property law firms and Ellison as a “Leading Lawyer” in the “Patents: Prosecution (Including Re-Examination And Post-Grant Proceedings)” category. Ellison has received this distinction for four consecutive years.

Recognition from *The Legal 500* follows recent firm and individual accolades from *Chambers USA*, which awarded Sterne Kessler the only Band 1 patent prosecution ranking among Washington, D.C. firms and ranked Ellison in the Life Sciences: IP/Patent Litigation (USA – Nationwide) category. Read more about the 2023 *Chambers USA* rankings [here](#).

*The Legal 500* United States editor states that the research team uses law firm submissions and peer and client reviews to publish its annual guide, which can be described as “exclusive, deliberately focusing on the true superstars of the profession.” View *The Legal 500*’s methodology and complete United States 2023 rankings [here](#).

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Based in Washington, D.C. and renowned for more than four decades for dedication to the protection, transfer, and enforcement of intellectual property rights, Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox is one of the most highly regarded intellectual property specialty law firms in the world. Its team of attorneys, registered patent agents, students, and technical specialists include some of the country’s most respected practitioners of IP law tackling innovations across a broad spectrum of industries. The firm’s practitioners hold over 50 masters and over 60 doctorate degrees in science or engineering and represent Fortune 500 companies, entrepreneurs, start-ups, inventors, venture capital firms, and universities in a client service driven environment that is welcoming, inclusive, and intellectually stimulating. Visit the firm online at [sternekessler.com](http://sternekessler.com).

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